

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Attorney Docket No. 2006_1477A
Shinichi HIROSE et al. : **Confirmation No. 3395**
Serial No. 10/591,587 : Group Art Unit 1633
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EPILEPSY MODEL ANIMAL : **Mail Stop: RCE**
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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In further response to the Office Action of March 4, 2010 and the Advisory Action of July 9, 2010, Applicants herein provide the following comments as well as a Declaration.

An RCE with the appropriate extensions of time and a one month suspension of action was filed on September 7, 2010.